

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC, CITY OFFICIALS, AND CITY STAFF:

THE FRESNO MUNICIPAL CODE IS BEING REPUBLISHED - Pursuant to Council Ordinance No. 2007-54 passed on July 6, 2007, the Fresno Municipal Code is being republished which will result in the current sections of the Code being renumbered and reorganized without change to the language of any particular section. The purpose of the republication is to provide a more user friendly format where sections covering related subjects are located together and Code provisions are easier to locate by City officials, staff and members of the public. Renumbering of Code sections will not substantively change the provisions of the Code and will not affect the operation, enforceability or legal effectiveness of the current provisions. When the publisher has completed republication of the Code, a table will be prepared and provided to show where the old sections have been relocated in the new Code structure. The republication of the Code is part of an overall Code streamlining project implemented by Council to clean up, reorganize and bring the City's Code up to current standards. The effective date of the republication is October 4, 2007.

Concurrently with [Ordinance No. 2007-54](#), Council also passed [Ordinance No. 2007-55](#) which made substantive changes to the new versions of Chapters 1 and 2. Ordinance No. 2007-55 was part of the next phase of Code streamlining that is intended to substantively clean up the language/terms of the Code. With the exception of Chapter 12, the other Chapters of the Code are intended to be similarly updated in future ordinances.

PLEASE BE AWARE THAT DURING THE REPUBLICATION PROCESS CITY NOTICES MAY CONTAIN INCORRECT FMC SECTION NUMBER REFERENCES BUT IT IS COUNCIL'S INTENT THAT THE REPUBLICATION WITHOUT SUBSTANTIVE CHANGE TO ANY LANGUAGE OF THE CODE IS A RESTATEMENT OF THE LAW AND WILL NOT/DOES NOT AFFECT THE OPERATION OF ITS PROVISION. Copies of Ordinance Nos. 2007-54 and 2007-55 may be found by clicking on the following links: [Ordinance No. 2007-54](#) and [Ordinance No. 2007-55](#)

The republication process may also delay the standard period for new ordinances to be codified into the published Fresno Municipal Code. Adopted, unpublished ordinances may be found at the FMC publisher's website at the following link <http://www.municode.com/resources/gateway.asp?pid=10421&sid=5> under the folder **"Ordinances Enacted/Not Yet Codified."** If you have any questions you may call the City Clerk's Office at (559) 621-7650.